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# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

# SELECTMEN, TREASURER

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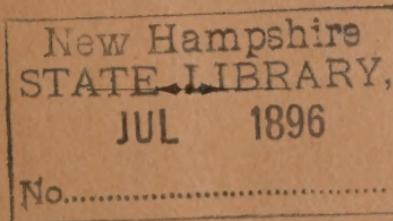
# SCHOOL BOARD,

OF THE

# TOWN OF RAYMOND,

FOR THE

Year Ending March 1st, 1889.



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1889.

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## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

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### **Taxes Assessed.**

TAXES assessed for the year 1888 are as follows:

State tax.....	\$930 00
County tax.....	828 14
School tax.....	1400 00
Town tax.....	1934 69
Dog tax.....	91 00
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### **Cash Received.**

The Selectmen charge themselves with receiving the following money:

1888.

April 7. Received of Sophia P. Bullard, Nashua,	
	One hundred dollars (\$100) in trust \$100 00
May 7. Amos Batchelder, borrowed money.....	100 00
Judith T. Currier.....	400 00

June 29. Levi S. Bartlett, sale of oxen.....	154 00
Oct. 17. County of Rockingham.....	574 47

1889.

Jan. 12. Received of State as follows:

Railroad tax.....	44 53
Savings Bank tax.....	1156 70
Literary fund.....	154 71

Feb. 23. Received of Cyrus M. Roberts, sale of hay.....	6 00
Elbridge G. Brown, rent of hall. ....	11 00
W. W. Brown, rent of hall.....	8 00
Received from sale of lots in Pine Grove Cemetery, as follows:	

1888.

Apr. 7. John C. Rowell.....	10 00
Jan. 3. Israel Dow.....	10 00
Feb. 23. David Ham's Heirs.....	10 00
Sarah Fisk and Sarah Pevear.....	10 00
H. G. and T. F. McClure.....	10 00
Emma S. Osgood.....	10 00
Joseph A. Littlefield.....	10 00
Sophia P. Bullard.....	10 00
Joshua Smith and Andrew D. Brown	10 00
George H. Brown.....	10 00
Samuel D. Towle's Heirs.....	10 00

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\$2819 41

The Selectmen credit themselves with cash paid the Treasurer, as follows:

**Cash Paid Treasurer.**

1888.		
Apr. 7.	Cash paid Treasurer.....	10 00
14.	Do.....	100 00
May 7.	Do.....	500 00
June 29.	Do.....	154 00
Oct. 17.	Do.....	574 47
1889.		
Jan. 12.	Do.....	425 94
	Do.....	930 00
Feb. 27.	Do.....	20 00
28.	Do.....	74 00
	Do.....	11 00
	Do.....	20 00
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**Orders Given.**

The Selectmen have given orders on the Treasurer for the payment of the following bills:

Mar. 12.	Paid J. Stephen Lane, cutting bushes	2 50
	M. V. B. Gile, do.....	12 56
Apr. 14.	Leon R. Abbott, 1787 ft. bridge plank	26 80
	Do, 725 ft. railing.....	3 25
	Do, 6 stringers .....	30 00
Feb. 23.	H. G. Whittier, bridge plank, railings and labor.....	9 80
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		84 91

**Highways and Bridges.**

1887.		
Mar. 12.	Martin V. B. Gile, cutting bushes....	3 00

Apr. 7.	Simeon Page, labor on highway . . . . .	1 00
May 5.	John B. Varick Co., 14 lbs. steel for drills . . . . .	2 24
12.	J. V. B. Dearborn, labor on highway . . . . .	9 00
	James G. Trickey, do . . . . .	9 00
	John S. Brown, do . . . . .	13 50
	Gilman E. Gile, do . . . . .	50
	Charles Poore, freight on castings . . . . .	50
May 14.	G. W. Titcomb, labor on highway . . . . .	9 00
19.	Cyrus M. Roberts, do . . . . .	20 00
25.	George W. Titcomb, do . . . . .	10 50
	John W. L. Robie, do . . . . .	9 00
	George W. Gilman, do . . . . .	21 00
	Charles E. Dearborn, do . . . . .	21 00
	John S. Brown, do . . . . .	21 00
	John W. Robie, do . . . . .	21 00
	Fred B. Dearborn, do . . . . .	21 00
	Joseph V. B. Dearborn, do . . . . .	12 00
	James G. Trickey, do . . . . .	10 50
26.	J. Stephen Lane, do . . . . .	3 00
June 6.	George E. McClure, do . . . . .	4 50
7.	Joseph V. B. Dearborn, do . . . . .	12 00
	James F. Gove, 2240 lbs. hay . . . . .	22 40
	James F. Gove, keeping town team . . . . .	4 50
	George W. Titcomb, labor on highway . . . . .	13 50
June 9.	John S. Brown, do . . . . .	21 00
	George W. Titcomb, do . . . . .	15 00
	Charles Poore, freight on castings . . . . .	50
	Charles E. Dearborn, labor on highway . . . . .	16 50
	John W. Robie, do . . . . .	12 75

	Fred B. Dearborn, do.....	15 00
	John W. L. Robie, do.....	10 50
	James G. Trickey, do.....	15 00
	Sherb. Gove, do.....	3 00
13.	H. A. Brown, keeping oxen three days	5 50
16.	Joseph V. B. Dearborn, labor on high- way.....	10 50
19.	Cyrus M. Roberts, do.....	48 00
	Elbridge K. Dearborn, do.....	7 50
	John W. Robie, do.....	12 75
	James G. Trickey.....	10 50
20.	Fred B. Dearborn, do.....	13 50
	Charles E. Dearborn, do.....	13 50
	John W. L. Robie, do .....	12 00
	John S. Brown, do.....	19 50
	George W. Titcomb, do.....	12 00
	George W. Gilman, do.....	13 50
23.	Cyrus M. Roberts, ox labor, 33 days	16 50
	Do, labor on highway.....	4 00
	Do, use of cart.....	3 00
	P. B. Corson, ox labor 34 days and use of cart three days.....	17 75
July 18.	O. W. Fellows, smith work .....	10 40
Aug. 3.	Jonathan A. Lane, keeping town team.....	5 00
Oct. 29.	D. C. Healey, hay and grain for oxen	112 71
	Moses M. Batchelder, cutting bushes	18 00
31.	George W. Titcomb, do.....	1 95
	Fred B. Dearborn, do....	5 50
	Will Sturdivant, do.....	1 50

George W. Titcomb, do.....	1 35
John Harrison, do.....	4 00
Nov. 26. R. G. L. Tilton, do.....	1 95
28. Gilman E. Gile, do.....	11 50
Samuel S. West, do.....	4 75
Dec. 24. Do.....	3 00

## 1889.

Jan. 1. W. H. Bailey, powder, fuse, sledge-hammer, etc.....	8 59
22. Abner Lowell, labnor on highway...	75
Jonathan Woodman, cutting bushes	2 40
H. W. Batchelder, labor on highway.	6 00
E. G. Brown, do.....	2 25
Joseph E. Prescott, cutting bushes..	1 50
Feb. 27. Gilman E. Gile, labor on highway....	1 00
Richard Clough, do.....	1 50
Estate of George M. Moulton, use of wheels two years.....	10 00
Estate of George M. Moulton, labor on highway.....	1 00
Cyrus M. Roberts, do.....	2 00
Martin V. B. Gile, do.....	3 00
Elisha T. Gile, do.....	6 00
John Healey, do.....	2 70
John Healey, keeping oxen.....	5 50
Walter J. Dudley, hay for oxén.....	8 00
Mark Scribner, damage to plough...	2 50
Samuel F. West, cutting bushes....	12 00
P. B. Corson, labor on highway.....	4 25
Amos Batchelder, keeping oxen.....	1 60

28. C. C. Stephens, castings for road machine.....	39 55
	942 69

**County Poor.**

1888.

Mar. 1. True M. Gould, medical attendance on Spinney children.....	5 50
True M. Gould, medical attendance on Emma S. Osgood and family. . .	11 00
Mar. 11. True M. Gould, medical attendance on Emma S. Osgood. . . . .	7 00
28. True M. Gould, medical attendance on Mrs. A. J. Roberts.....	3 00
31. Fred B. Dearborn, moving Mrs. A. J. Roberts.....	1 50
Apr. 3. Alice C. Brown, two months' house rent furnished Mrs. A. J. Roberts	5 00
Apr. 16. B. B. Russell, board for Thomas Ferguson.....	19 29
June 4. Andrew P. Batchelder, goods furnished Charles Hardy, seventeen wks	25 50
Andrew Batchelder, goods furnished Charles C. Brown.....	21 00
11. Elisha T. Gile, board of Thomas Ferguson.....	27 00
14. True M. Gould, medical attendance on Samuel Rand and family..... .	5 00
30. Alice C. Brown, three months' house rent furnished Mrs. A. J. Roberts	7 50

Aug. 7.	W. H. Bailey, goods furnished Emma S. Osgood.....	36 87
Oct. 1.	E. S. Healey, one cord slabs furnished Emma S. Osgood.....	2 50
6.	True M. Gould, medical attendance on Charles C. Brown.....	5 00
	True M. Gould, medical attendance on Emma S. Osgood.....	7 00
Sept. 15.	Elisha T. Gile, thirteen weeks' board for Thomas Ferguson.....	39 00
27.	Alice C. Brown, three months' house rent for Mrs. A. J. Roberts.....	7 50
Oct. 6.	True M. Gould, medical attendance on Spinney children.....	3 00
16.	Dana C. Healey, goods furnished Julia Tilton.....	51 00
	Dana C. Healey, goods furnished Mrs. A. J. Roberts.....	68 00
	Dana C. Healey, wood furnished Mrs. A. J. Roberts.....	3 50
	Dana C. Healey, goods furnished Jerry Smart.....	35 00
	Dana C. Healey, goods furnished N. D. West.....	9 50
	Dana C. Healey, 1 bbl. flour furnished C. C. Brown.....	5 50
	Dana C. Healey, goods furnished Stur- divant children.....	21 00
	Dana C. Healey, goods furnished C. C. Brown.....	31 50

17.	Lizzie Mitchell, board and nursing, Mrs. Parker .....	17 00
Dec. 4.	A. C. Brown, two months' house rent furnished Mrs. A. J. Roberts	5 00
24.	Elisha T. Gile, board of Thomas Fer- guson fifteen weeks.....	45 00
	Andrew R. Batchelder, goods furnish- ed Charles Hardy.....	43 50
	Andrew R. Batchelder, one bbl. flour furnished Charles Hardy.....	5 25
	Andrew R. Batchelder, goods fur- nished Charles C. Brown.....	21 00
	Andrew R. Batchelder, one bbl. flour furnished Charles C. Brown....	7 50
31.	True M. Gould, medical attendance on Charlotte Smith.....	18 00

1889.

Jan. 17.	Orin West, board and nursing, Char- lotte Smith.....	22 50
18.	Edgar T. Brown, clothing furnished Charles C. Brown.....	2 13
	Alice C. Brown, six weeks' house rent furnished Mrs. A. J. Roberts...	3 75
	C. M. Floyd & Co., overcoat for Charles C. Brown.....	5 00
	P. B. Corson, 27 ft. wood furnished Mrs. A. J. Roberts.....	11 00
		683 29

**Parsonage Fund Interest.**

1888.

Apr. 4.	Martin V. B. Gile, Baptist society for 1888.....	6 30
Feb. 23.	S. D. Tilton, Congregational society for 1888.....	21 00
27.	Jonathan Woodman, Methodist soci- ety for 1888.....	24 50
28.	Martin V. B. Gile.....	5 00
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		56 80

**Damage by Dogs.**

1888.

Apr. 7,	William H. Spinney.....	3 50
7,	Charles G. Brown.....	6 00
7,	Elisha T. Gile.....	5 00
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		14 50

**School Money.**

1888.

June 30,	Paid Dana C. Healey, treasurer .....	500 00
Nov. 26,	" " " " " .....	700 00
Feb. 29,	" " " " " .....	200 00
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		1400 00

**Repairs on School Houses.**

1888.

June 30,	Paid Dana C. Healey, treasurer .....	100 00
Feb. 23,	" " " " " .....	50 00
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		150 00

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**State and County Taxes.**

Paid state tax.....	930 00
County tax.....	828 14
	<hr/> 1758 14

**Town Charges.**

1888.

Mar. 1, John N. Tilton, services as auditor	2 00
12, J. Wesley Dodge, services as supervisor for 1887.....	5 00
12, A. G. Batchelder, services as supervisor for 1887.....	5 00
21, Charles Poor, express on town reports	30
21, Temple & Farrington, collector's book, blank books, etc.....	2 54
21, John B. Varick Co., locks for lockup..	1 60
31, Walter J. Dudley, insurance on town- house, hearse house, hearse, etc.	25 00
May 7, Amos Batchelder, one yoke oxen ...	167 00
26, E. G. Brown, services as selectman in part.....	10 00
26, Walter W. Brown, repairing windows in town hall.....	2 75
26, John L. Poor, repairing settees in town hall.....	1 25
June 1, Novelty Ad. Co., printing town reports	18 85
18, George W. Ladd, putting up 17 tramps	4 25
Aug. 28, Walter W. Brown, winding town clock	8 34
Sept. 26, Harris B. Ladd, repairing and painting hearse.....	21 50

Nov. 6, Josiah S. Whittier, labor on Mrs. Sophia P. Bullard's burial lot.....	1 00
6, Elbridge G. Brown, services as selectman in part.....	12 00
19, Walter W. Brown, winding town clock .....	4 34
19, " " janitor of town hall.....	13 25
19, " " expenses on town hall .....	5 13
19, Josiah S. Whittier, putting up tramps	2 75
19, " " bedding and clothing for lockup.....	4 19
19, Charles W. Scribner, 3 acres of land for highway purposes.....	40 00
19, Josiah S. Whittier, 1 pitcher for lockup	35
19, " " cleaning lockup..	1 00
19, P. B. Corson, 3 1-2 days perambulating town line.....	6 50
Dec. 13, Edgar T. Brown, 10 curtains for town hall.....	9 05
Jan. 7, True M. Gould, recording births and deaths .....	7 00
7, James M. Healey, services as selectman in part.....	25 00
Feb. 9, Josiah S. Whittier, putting up tramps	6 25
9, P. B. Corson, trip to Concord to settle State tax.....	3 00
9, E. Howard & Co., repairs on town clock.....	16 21

9, E. G. Brown, repairs on town hall..	1 00
9, Walter W. Brown " " " "	1 25
9, A. G. Batchelder, services as supervisor, 1888.....	10 00
9, P. B. Corson, trip to Exeter to settle pauper claim.....	2 50
23, James L. Jones, 20 trips with hearse	30 00
27, E. G. Brown, winding town clock....	4 66
27, S. D. Tilten, services on school board	20 00
27, Corson & Healey, 9 ft. of wood for town house.....	4 50
27, O. T. Brown, services as treasurer. .	30 00
27, E. G. Brown, janitor of town hall....	4 60
27, Walter J. Dudley, surveying town lines, etc,.....	3 50
27, James M. Healey, services as selectman in full to Mar. 1, 1889	12 00
27, " " horse 3 days taking inventory.....	3 00
27, " " 4 days perambulating town line.....	6 00
27, " " horse 3 days.....	3 00
27, " " trip to county farm	3 00
27, E. G. Brown, services as selectman in full to Mar. 1, 1889.....	20 00
27, " " horse 2 days.....	2 00
27, P. B. Corson, trip to county farm....	1 50
27, " " trip to Portsmouth to settle pauper claim.....	3 00

27, " " " trip to Manchester to		
get town reports printed....	2 00	
28, D. C. Healey, services on school board	20 00	
28, " " town clerk .....	20 00	
28, " " recording births & deaths	6 25	
28, P. B. Corson, services as selectman in		
full to Mar. 1, 1889.....	60 00	
28, Eben S. Griffin, services on school		
board.....	20 00	
28, " " services as supervisor	10 00	
28, True B. Davis, labor on town hall....	15	
		696 31

### Notes and Interest.

1888.

May 7, Paid Judith T. Currier, note and interest in full.....	420 00
7, Mary D. Brown, note and interest in full .....	286 35
Aug. 14, Elias True, note in part .....	50 00
Oct. 18, " " note and interest in full	103 82
Feb. 9, Amos Batchelder, note and interest in full.....	103 02
23, Dudley Lane, interest.....	2 00
23, Joshua F. Lane, interest .....	12 00
23, Abigail D. Lane, interest, .....	4 00
23, Hannah D. Dearborn, interest....	40 00
23, P. B. Corson, interest, .....	40 00
23, Eleanor Prescott, interest.....	40 00

23,	Mary R. Prescott, interest .....	12 00
23,	Mary E. Prescott, interest .....	2 00
23,	Sarah E. Prescott, interest .....	2 00
		1120 19

### Abatements.

1888.

Mar. 1,	Hiram G. McClure, abat. on highway	2 34
Apr. 6,	E. B. Cram, abat., loss of dog .....	1 00
16,	Andrew C. Smith, abat. on highway, '87	1 79
16,	John Smith, " " "	3 55
21,	Thomas J. Gile, abat., loss of dog .....	1 00
May 28,	John A. Holt, abat., horse paid in Can- dia .....	2 24
		2 24
Feb. 23,	True M. Gould, abat., loss of dog .....	1 00
	John H. Dodge, maintaining water- ing trough .....	3 00
	Thos. F. McClure, abatement on highway .....	2 71
	Joseph E. Prescott, loss of two dogs	2 00
27,	Charles W. Scribner, highway .....	3 42
	James E. Collins, highway .....	58
	James F. Gove, maintaining watering trough .....	3 00
	W. J. Welch, loss of horse .....	75
	James B. Spencer, highway .....	80
	E. S. Healey, loss of dog .....	1 00
	S. S. Moody, highway .....	2 65
	Gilman E. Gile, do. and loss of cow	3 96
	Mark Scribner, do .....	5 23

Narah Dearborn, under age.....	1 50
A. G. Brown, highway.....	5 29
H. G. McClure, do.....	2 35
Elias True, do.....	2 75
Charles H. Whitecomb, do.....	2 32
M. E. Brown, do.....	2 03
Chase O. Wallace's heirs, highway..	1 52
John W. Harriman, loss of dog....	1 00
George F. Healey, loss of horse....	75
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	61 53

### **Snow Bills.**

1888.

Mar. 16, E. G. Brown.....	1 50
17, Frank Davis.....	1 87
Samuel B. Gove.....	16 88
P. B. Corson.....	10 25
Mark Scribner.....	18 50
Charles Bean.....	1 00
19, W. R. Roberts.....	3 62
23, Simon Page.....	4 38
27, Henry F. Small.....	4 50
Fred C. Payson.....	6 75
31, Fred B. Dearborn.....	16 38
Walter J. Dudley.....	40 25
R. R. Rundlett.....	24 86
David Griffin.....	15 25
John W. Floyd.....	3 75
Apr. 2, James M. Healey.....	2 75

4, Lewis Morrison.....	2 87
Martin V. B. Gile.....	10 50
Edward S. Healey.....	6 25
7, Lewis C. Brown.....	7 25
J. W. Fisk.....	6 25
9, Plummer D. Small.....	15 14
John N. Tilton.....	20 12
13, Jonathan A. Lane.....	50 05
14, John W. Harriman.....	2 50
19, J. E. Prescott.....	7 75
Apr. 16, Luther Wason.....	1 50
E. G. Brown.....	2 25
17, W. A. Elliott.....	2 50
Amos Batchelder.....	21 55
26, George S. Robie.....	9 75
May 5, Gilman E. Gile.....	9 37
A. T. Emery.....	2 18
7, John C. Whitecomb.....	6 87
29, Edgar H. Poor.....	16 60
Fred J. Page.....	2 10
1889.	
Feb. 23, A. J. Hook.....	1 00
James L. Jones.....	15 00
27, Joseph W. Fisk.....	6 25
28, John Healey.....	10 00
Charles H. Smith.....	1 50
	410 59

### **Appropriation for Decoration Day.**

June 27. Paid William H. Gibson.....	50 00
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**Notes.**

Held against the town with interest cast to March 1:

Hannah D. Dearborn .....	1000 00
Mary E. Prescott.....	50 00
Mary R. Prescott.....	300 00
Eleanor Prescott.....	1000 00
Dudley Lane.....	50 00
Sarah E. Prescott.....	125 00
Joseph F. Lane.....	300 00
Plummer B. Corson.....	1000 00
Abigail D. Lane.....	100 00
Judith T. Currier.....	416 00
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	4341 00

**Lots in Pine Grove Cemetery Sold and Not Yet Paid For.**

T. L. and L. C. Brown.....	10 00
John Harrison.....	10 00
Oliver G. Smith.....	10 00
Asenath Young.....	10 00
Wayland D. Smart.....	10 00
John D. Harriman.....	10 00
William L. Carlton.....	10 00
Josselyn and Smart.....	10.00
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	80 00

PLUMMER B. CORSON, } Selectmen  
JAMES M. HEALEY, } of  
ELBRIDGE G. BROWN, } Raymond.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

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The town of Raymond in account with the Treasurer:	
By cash received of treasurer for 1887.....	1670 26
E. S. Griffin, collector 1887.....	650 78
Do., 1888.....	4269 06
Selectmen .....	2819 41
Total receipts.....	9409 51
Paid state tax.....	930 00
County tax.....	828 14
Notes and interest.....	1120 19
Sundry orders of selectmen. ....	4553 62
Total expenditures.....	7431 95
Cash on hand.....	1977 56*

O. T. BROWN, Treasurer.

## AUDITORS' REPORT.

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We, the undersigned, auditors of selectmen's and treasurer's accounts of the town of Raymond for the year ending March 1, 1889, have examined said accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

### Receipts.

1888.

Mar. 1.	Cash in hands of treasurer.....	1670 26
	Received of E. S. Griffin, collector, 1887	650 78
	Do., 1888.....	4269 06
	Sale of lots in Pine Grove Cemetery	110 00
	Sophia K. Bullard, in trust.....	100 00
	Amos Batchelder, borrowed money..	100 00
	Judith Currier, do.....	400 00
	Levi S. Bartlett, for oxen.....	154 00
	County of Rockingham.....	574 47
	State of N. H., Savings Bank tax....	1156 70
	Literary fund.....	154 71
	R. R. tax.....	44 53
	Cyrus M. Roberts, for sale of hay....	6 00
	E. G. Brown, for rent of hall....	11 00
	W. W. Brown, do.....	8 00
	Total receipts.....	9409 51

### **Expenditures.**

Paid out as follows:

Outstanding bills.....	87 91
School money.....	1400 00
School-house repairs.....	150 00
County tax .....	828 14
State tax.....	930 00
Town charges.....	696 31
Snow bills .....	410 59
Highways and bridges.....	942 69
Notes and interest.....	1120 19
County poor.....	683 29
Abatements.....	61 53
Parsonage fund interest.....	56 80
Memorial fund.....	50 00
Sheep bills.....	14 50
Total Expenditures.....	\$7431 95

Cash on hand March 1, 1889.....	1977 56
Notes held by individuals against the town.....	4341 00
School fund.....	1262 00
Parsonage fund.....	1193 00
Outstanding bills as estimated.....	200 00
	\$6996 00

### **Recapitulation.**

Due from E. S. Griffin, 1887 tax.....	133 56
Do., 1888.....	914 77
Due from the county of Rockingham.....	161 13

Due for lots sold in Pine Grove cemetery .....	80 00
Cash on hand.....	1977 56
	—————
	\$3267 02
Town debt March 1, 1889.....	3728 98
Do., 1888.....	4774 15
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Decrease of town debt during the year 1888	942 17

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# SCHOOL REPORT.

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## DISTRICT No. 1.

Summer term of nine weeks by Lizzie C. True. Fall term of eleven weeks taught by the same teacher. Miss True ranks as one of our best teachers, this school under her was a decided success, her discipline was good and instruction thorough, and we were well pleased with the results.

## DISTRICTS Nos. 2 AND 9.

The summer term was taught in district No. 9. Length of term nine weeks, Fall term of eleven weeks was taught in district No. 2 by May Norris of Epping. This was Miss Norris' first attempt at teaching, and the results were very gratifying, showing that she possesses the requisite qualifications to become a good teacher.

## DISTRICT No. 3.

Summer term of nine weeks was taught by Miss Clara J. Bond of East Derry. This ranks as one of our largest and best schools, and under her instruction fair progress was made by the scholars. Fall term of eleven weeks was taught by Dr. George H. Guptil. Dr. Guptil is a thorough and practical instructor and his labors were productive of good results.

## DISTRICT No. 4.

Summer and fall terms were taught by L. A. Hooke of Chester. Mrs. Hooke has taught this school for several years, and while under her charge we feel assured of success, and the results showed that our confidence was not misplaced.

## DISTRICT No. 6.

Spring term of nine weeks and fall term of eleven weeks were taught by Miss Hattie A. Tucker of Brentwood. Miss Tucker has rendered previous service and we think she fully sustained her former reputation as a successful teacher.

## DISTRICT NO. 7.

Both terms were taught by Miss Anna G. Veasey of Deerfield. Miss Veasey possesses the qualifications for a good teacher, and as a result of her labors, good progress was made in the school under her charge. Owing to sickness, she was not able to commence the summer term at the appointed time, and Miss Mary H. Grout took charge of the school for two weeks, and conducted it in a manner highly commendable for one of her age and experience.

## DISTRICT NO. 8.

**GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.** Both terms consisting of nineteen weeks were under the able instruction of Miss L. A. Harriman, of which it is enough to say that she fully sustained her former reputation as one of our best teachers. Order, good instruction, thorough and practical.

**PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.** Summer term of nine weeks was taught by Mrs. Nellie Ladd. Mrs. Ladd possesses that love for children and interest in their welfare which peculiarly fit her for teaching a school of this grade, and it is to be regretted that her services could not be retained for a longer time. Fall term by Miss Pease of Newmarket, who is a thorough and practical teacher, and under her instruction good progress was made by the school. If as good teachers as Mrs. Ladd and Miss Pease can always be obtained for this school the parents of the children attending will have reason to congratulate themselves on their good fortune.

**FREE HIGH SCHOOL.** This school consisted of one term of eleven weeks, taught by Dr. George H. Guptil with very good success. Whole number of scholars attending, fifty-six, a number too large for one teacher, but with the present appropriation and lack of accommodations, an assistant cannot well be employed.

We earnestly recommend that the town will continue the appropriation for its support, as we believe there is no other way by which so much can be done to promote the education of the children of the town for the same outlay of money.

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Our schools during the past year have been, on the whole, quite satisfactory when all the circumstances surrounding them are taken into consideration. At least one-half of them are too small in num-

bers to make them either interesting or profitable. Every one of experience knows that a school of five or six pupils cannot be made interesting either to teacher or scholar.

The law provides that the Board of Education may establish as many schools as the interests of the district may require, but unless the town shall change the location of some of the school houses now existing here, which afford the necessary accommodations, but little can be done by way of reducing the number of schools now in existence in this place. We feel that this is a subject which demands the careful consideration of every citizen, to the end that the best possible results may be attained. If the number could be reduced one-half the schools would then be none too large and a much better return for the money expended for their support secured.

The matter of the education of our children is one in which all should be deeply interested, and the best possible means devised for securing the best returns for the money expended in that direction, and we earnestly recommend that at the coming annual meeting something may be done to meet the exigencies of the case.

We believe that the High School is a valuable auxiliary to the higher education of our children, and recommend that the appropriation for its support be continued.

S. D. TILTON, } School Board  
E. S. GRIFFIN, } of  
D. C. HEALEY, } Raymond.

# TABLE OF STATISTICS.

SUMMER TERM.										FALL TERM.										SUMMER TERM.																			
No. of school.		Length of school in weeks.		Whole No. of scholars.		Average attendance.		No. not absent or tardy.		Teachers' wages per month including board		Visits of school board.		Visits of citizens.		Amount of money appropriated to each school.		Incidental expenses.		No. of school.		Length of school in weeks.		Whole No. of scholars.		Average attendance.		No. not absent or tardy.		Teachers' wages per month including board		Visits of school board.		Visits of citizens.		Amount of money appropriated to each school.		Incidental expenses.	
1	9	11	10	6	\$24	2	41	\$54.	\$5.50	1	11	13	12	4	\$26	2	23	\$71.50		2	11	13	12	4	\$26	2	23	\$71.50											
*	:	26	20	:		2	3	12	65.25	3.00	2	11	5	4	1	24	2	3	66.00		2	10	24	21	11	32	2	15	66.00										
3	9	26	20	3	29	3	12	65.25	4.10	3	10	24	21	11	24	2	3	80.00		3	11	9	7	4	20	2	6	80.00											
4	7	7	5	1	20	0	0	0	0.35.00	.25	4	11	9	7	4	24	2	3	52.00		4	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0									
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6	9	23	12	1	30	2	5	67.50	7.88	6	11	25	19	1	30	2	11	82.50		6	11	25	19	1	30	2	11	82.50											
7	8	14	12	6	24	2	16	48.00	4.90	7	12	15	13	4	24	2	31	72.00		7	12	15	13	4	24	2	31	72.00											
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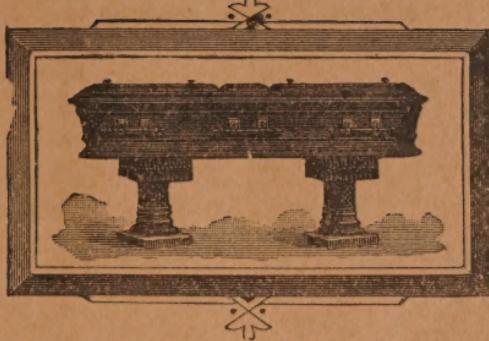
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